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GP #1723

PATENT AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

(Provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 Apply)

Application Number	09/323,628	Filing Date	June 1, 1999
Group Art Unit	1723	Examiner Name	D. Sorkin
Confirmation No.	9448	Attorney Docket No.	791_052 RCE
Inventor(s)	Kenshin Kitoh		
Invention:	LITHIUM SECONDARY BATTERY		

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as follows:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

(1)	(2) Claims Remaining After Amendment	(3)	(4) Highest Number Previously Paid	(5) No. of Extra Claims Present	(6) Rate (Large Entity)	(7) Additional Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS	24	MINUS	25	0	\$18.00	\$00.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	0	\$84.00	\$00.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$00.00

EXTENSION OF TERM

☒ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

☐ This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small entity fee are as follows:

- ☐ One Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$110.00
- ☐ Two Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$410.00
- ☐ Three Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$930.00

TOTAL FEES DUE

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is:

FEE PAYMENT

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge Deposit Account 50-1446 in the amount of \$ _____. Enclosed is a duplicate copy of this sheet.
- ☒ Please charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 50-1446.

Submitted By:

Name (Print Type)		Reg. No.		Customer No.	025191
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Signature	<i>Ken C. Bar</i>			Date	February 21, 2003

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: Kenshin Kitoh

Ser. No.: 09/323,628

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For: LITHIUM SECONDARY BATTERY

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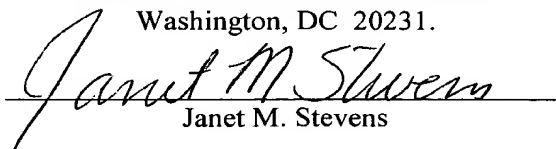
Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 21, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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